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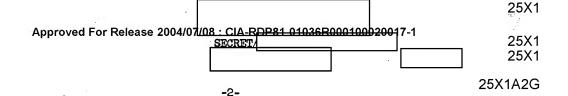
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1. The figures below come from the production program of the finishing department for the first half of 1953. It is to be taken as established that the program was fulfilled. The June strike was insignificant and was over in a matter of hours.

2.	Bearing Types	Number	Bearing Types	Number
	K. 120/195 K. 450/660 K. 650/900 K. 60/100 A. 35/70 AX. 17/50 AX. 40/100 SKz. 300/420 SKz. 120/165 SKz. 120/165 SKz. 220/360 SSk. 40/50	149 700 150 4000 400 900 1500 3400 80 50 18	SSk. 180/250 SSk. 270/340 SSk. 630/780 QA. 55 QA. 60 QA. 65 QA. 70 QA. 75 QA. 80 QA. 90 RNA. 12,4/19	300 300 75 6000 700 200 25 300 200 200 200 300
	55k. 60/80 55k. 30/40	150 3000	NKA. 140 NA. 35-NA.600	300 90 6000

- 3. Bearings of the series 2208-6000 were produced to the number of 65,000 in the first half of July 1953.
- 4. Needle and swing bearings were delivered directly to the USSR as previously. The swing bearings were tested by Soviet engineers on stands. The bearings



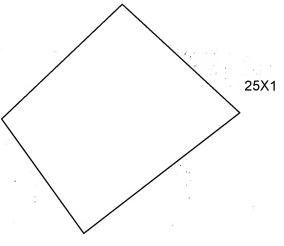
were to stand 30,000 revolutions a minute without noise. About 80,000 of these were produced. Other customers for large bearings are Poland and China.

5. The materials position is excellent; the factory has large reserves of Swedish steel.

Available on loan in CIA Library are photographic reproductions of bearing types and wiring diagrams. 7

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